

THE PHILADELPHIA RECORD.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., MONDAY EVENING, AUGUST 17, 1885.

PRICE TWO CENTS.

WOODWARD & LOTHROP.

An "August" Determination.

As previously announced, we propose to do more business this August than during any previous August, and to accomplish this we shall prosecute for the public sale our most valuable goods at an undebatable amount for this season of the year.

The advancement of the season necessitates our marking down many lines of our most desirable Summer

Patent, in order to more quickly cause their removal.

Remember the Price is of little object to us when the goods must be sold.

French Linens at 12 1/2c.

We could foresee what

of goods and what kind

patterns, whether large

small, were going to be

born each season, our

fortune would be made, but as

it is, there is no telling, and

his fact alone puts some

things up and some things at

half-value, for instance:

French Linen Lawns at the

beginning of the season

looked lovely, and at 25c

we anticipated a good demand

and bought quite heavily, the

figures were beautiful, being

from medium to large, and

the quality was of the best,

but alas! White Goods and

all figures became the fash-

ion, hence we offer 25c

French Linen Lawns at 12 1/2c

yard.

Everybody is not fashion-

able, and some don't object

to large figures.

Men's Wear at Reduced Prices.

Men are attracted more by

window display than news-

paper articles; that is, we

think so, for reasons we get

better results from a Men's

Furnishings Display in our

window not advertised than

we do from an advertisement

on the same goods without

the display. Some men's

goods don't look well in the

window, so we put them in

the paper.

Men's fine gauge shirts, extra good value,

both long and short sleeves.

Reduced from 37 1/2c to 25c.

Men's extra fine gauge shirts, excellent value,

both long and short sleeves.

Reduced from 40c to 25c.

Men's super-fine gauge shirts, extra fine quality.

Reduced from 75c to 50c each.

Men's fine halibut shirts, extra fine quality.

Reduced from 50c to 35c each.

Men's extra fine gauge shirts, excellent value,

both long and short sleeves.

Reduced from 40c to 25c.

Men's extra-fine gauge shirts, extra fine quality.

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GOVERNMENT GOSSIP.

VARIOUS PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS MADE TO-DAY.

THE NEW VIRGINIA POSTMASTERS.

AWARD OF THE CONTRACT FOR WASHINGTON TREASURY TOWELS.

The Question of Coin Transportation.

Existence of an Alleged Ring.

Foreman of the Cattle Order.

American Reapers.

Secretary Endicott's Absence.

Carrying the Foreign Mails.

Enforcing the President's Proclamation.

The Special Stamp Messengers.

Repairs to Vessels.

Virginia Postmasters Appointed.

Scandalous Charges Denied.

Exc-Commissioner Loring Corrected.

Penion Examiners Appointed.

Prosecution of the Boomers.

The Hardy Murder Case.

No Mysterious Committee.

A Contemplated Suit.

The Contract Not Violated.

Promotions in the Geological Survey.

Minor and Personal.

Secretary Bayard returned to Washington.

Secretary Endicott left this city yesterday.

General Black, Commissioner of Pensions, left this city yesterday.

Secretary Lamar has accepted the resignation of H. J. Armstrong, agent of the Crow Indians in Montana.

Robert B. Lamon was today appointed a member of the Board of Pension Appeals in the office of the Secretary of the Interior at \$2,000, vice H. L. Bruce, resigned.

It is rumored that the services of E. A. Clifford and Boone Chambers, Deputy Sixth Auditor at the southwest corner of Connecticut and F streets, are to be dispensed with.

First Lieutenant J. H. H. Poshie, Thirtieth Infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, will proceed to Fort Elliott, Texas, and re-

DOUGHTY OARSMEN.

CREWS PREPARING FOR THE "OLD POINT" REGATTA.

SHARP CONTESTS PROMISED.

The Crescents of Boston Anxious to Meet the Columbias Again.

Special letter to the Washington City.

PORT MONROE, VA., Aug. 16.—The Washington senior crew arrived here this morning to take part in the regatta to be held here on Wednesday and Thursday. The senior crew of the Norfolk Gymnasium is also here. They are a hardy looking set of men and will give the Columbias a good race.

Mr. Houghton, who has been in the city for several days, has been in the city for several days.

Next Monday, August 18th, the regatta will be held at the Washington City.

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A CLOSE CALL.

Officer Sheehan Nearly Meets the Fate of Officer Fowler.

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